

SOCIETY'S PASSING SHOW.

AN OUT-OF-TOWN BALL THAT MANY NEW YORKERS WILL ATTEND.

Mr. Brooks and Miss Satter to be married next Thursday. Mrs. Satter to give a reception this afternoon. Mrs. Satter to receive to-morrow a theatre party to see "The Begum."

OUT of town ball that many New Yorkers will attend will be given by Mrs. Vail at Vail Court, Stamford, Conn., on the evening of Dec. 28, in honor of her daughter's birthday.

The Ohio Society will give its first ladies' reception for this season on Dec. 14, at 236 Fifth avenue.

At the reception given to Joseph Chamberlain by Sir Lionel West last week at the British Legation, Mrs. Whitney wore a gown made entirely of white crystal and pearl netting over white silk.

Mrs. A. M. White, of 2 Pierpont place, Brooklyn, will give a reception this afternoon.

The marriage of Mr. Warren Ward Brooks and Miss Elizabeth Skillman, daughter of J. P. Skillman, will take place on Thursday, Dec. 8.

A reception in honor of Mr. Samuel Inall will be given to-morrow evening at the Normandie by the Electric Club of Schenectady. The engagement of Mr. Harry Allen and Miss Elizabeth Campbell, daughter of Mrs. Irving Clark, of 127 East Thirtieth street, is announced.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Norton Goddard, of 2 East Thirtieth street, will give a tea to-morrow afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Foote, of 47 West Nineteenth street, will give a reception to-morrow afternoon from 4 until 6 o'clock to introduce her youngest daughter, Miss Florence Foote.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Young, of Jersey City Heights, will give a dinner this evening to the Governor of New Jersey and other prominent people. Pinard will serve.

A musical and literary entertainment will be given next Wednesday evening in aid of a prize fund at Vassar College as a memorial to Erminie A. Smith.

Mrs. E. Ladlow and her mother, Mrs. Charles Wall, will give a reception on Dec. 15 at 3 East Sixty-seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. De Navarro will remain until the holidays at their cottage at Sea-bright.

Dr. and Mrs. B. S. Blanchard, nee Barnes, after their extended wedding tour South and West, will receive their friends in their new home in this city.

The St. Nicholas Society will give their annual dinner at Delmonico's on Tuesday evening. A trumpet will precede the procession into the dining-room.

Mrs. William De W. Mansfield, of 4 West Fortieth street, will give a reception this afternoon from 4 until 7 o'clock.

A large tea with music will be given to-morrow afternoon by Mrs. Van Volkenburgh, of 516 Madison avenue.

A reception and sale will be given at the Brunswick to-day, by the society known as the Summer Rest.

The Friday Evening Dancing Class will be given at the Brunswick for the first time this season at Mrs. M. S. Whitney's, 11 East Twenty-third street.

The engagement of Dr. John Noble, of 238 West Twenty-fifth street, and Miss Gertrude Pollard, of Brooklyn, is announced.

The Manhattan Athletic Club will give a musicale to-morrow evening.

Mrs. J. Gilbert, of 28 West Thirtieth street, will be "at home" to-day from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Freeman and Miss Grace Davis, of Brooklyn, Pa., are visiting in this city and Brooklyn.

Mrs. Pierre M. Humbert, of 9 East Twenty-sixth street, will give a tea to-morrow afternoon.

Quite an interesting engagement is the one recently announced of Commodore Theodore Wilson, U. S. N., and Miss Clara Selena Hubbard, daughter of the late Capt. William Hubbard, of the British Navy.

Mrs. Henry E. Lawrence, of 57 East Twenty-fifth street, will give a reception to-morrow afternoon.

A ray time is expected by the ladies of Orange at the Brick Church on Monday afternoon and evening during the progress of their fair. Landers' band will play.

Mrs. Satterthwaite, of 175 Second avenue, will give a reception to-morrow.

A ball will be given to-morrow evening at the Pavilion Hotel, Staten Island, by the Ladies' Outdoor Club.

Mrs. A. G. Hodges, of 6 Gramercy park, will give a reception on Jan. 10.

A party of forty ladies and gentlemen will pay homage to Her Britannic Majesty at the Fifth Avenue Theatre next Monday. The party is to be given by Mrs. Dr. Cornelius J. Dumont, and includes Mrs. J. C. Gildersleeve, Mr. S. B. Mills, Jr., and Mrs. Henry Allen, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Van Sicken, Miss Van Sicken, Miss Kate Goulding, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Kilmer, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crane and Miss Minnie Norton. The programme includes the visit to the theatre and subsequent supper at the Barrett House.

PLUSH NOT OUT OF STYLE.

It is Still Largely Used in the Manufacture of Fancy Articles.

According to current report plush has been going out of fashion for several years past. If any confidence is to be placed in information obtained in this way one might be justified in believing that it had almost ceased to be an article of manufacture. As a matter of fact, however, while it is, perhaps, not as much in use now as an article of dress as formerly, its use in the manufacture of fancy articles, especially for the holiday trade, has so greatly increased that what ground it once lost in one direction is fully compensated by the gain in the other.

"Business slack," exclaimed a big manufacturer of Christmas goods of this description a day or two ago. "Why, manufacturers of plush goods have been doing an immense business this fall, and I predict that the sales during the coming season will be greater than ever before. Orders have never before been coming in so heavily at this time of the year as they are now, and never before has the variety in styles been so great."

"What just look at those counters out there," he continued, pointing to the long lines of narrow tables extending from wall to wall of the big salesroom loaded down with pretty things. "A person who couldn't find something to suit him among that variety must be very hard to please. There are cases for toilet and manure sets in a dozen different styles, jewel and perfume cases, photograph albums, workbooks in every size, elegant clocks and combination cases of all kinds to please the ladies, and shaving cases, cigar boxes, pens, collars and cuff boxes, whisk brooms with plush handles and innumerable other little articles and knickknacks for the men."

"Of course, various qualities of plush are used in the manufacture of these articles," he was asked.

"Oh, certainly," he replied, "and that is what makes the great difference in prices of articles of plush. The workmanship is not identical in workmanship and quality. The finest articles are made of satin plush and are very expensive. The cheaper styles are made of plush. This can be easily distinguished from the silk by closer inspection, and by the feeling. Then, too, it does not last very long, and when exposed to the light soon loses both its color and glossy appearance. The workmanship is also different in the two styles. Between the two extremes in price there are many grades which are valued according to their quality and style of make-up, so that every one may find something to suit his taste. It is, in fact, the same time to be able to gratify his taste for the beautiful."

A COAL-CART DRIVER'S DEPRIVITY.

How a Truckman Was Provoked to the Use of Violent Language.

A big two-horse truck, loaded with cases of dry goods, went rumbling down Broadway at Eighth street yesterday afternoon. The driver of the truck was a coal cart driver, and he was in a very bad temper.

The driver of the truck at contentedly on the spring seat, swung his legs to and fro and whistled merrily. In his blue check jumper, his flannel shirt, his corduroy trousers and his cowhide boots, he seemed the incarnation of happiness. So far as other drivers of the street were concerned, he was king of the road. Noisy express wagons gave the heavy wheels of his truck a wide berth, and grocers' cart hummed him as they would a locomotive.

Just as he was about to turn the corner of a street-car bell. He stopped whistling long enough to pull out of the racket, and then went on as before. He glanced around in moment to watch the street-car go by. There was no street-car to be seen, but a coal wagon with a car bell dangled from the end of the tongue went whizzing by, and the driver of the coal wagon winked one eye, shook himself with laughter and said: "Great scheme, ain't it?"

The truckman started in speechless amazement, and then, as the coal wagon disappeared, he started to follow it. He looked at his watch and saw that it was 10 o'clock. He looked at the coal wagon and saw that it was 10 o'clock. He looked at his watch and saw that it was 10 o'clock.

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SPORTS OF TRACK AND RING.

LADIES TO BE ENTERTAINED AT THE TWO BIG ATHLETIC CLUBS.

The New York Athletic Club's Fine Quarter-Hourly Evening Reception—Gibberts Give a Pair of Twenty-Back Ice Skates—Jen Carney Soon to Return to England—Athletes' Winter Games.

ADIES who like to see the inside workings of athletic clubs will have two good opportunities shortly. The New York Athletic Club will open its doors to the fair sex to-morrow afternoon, and the Manhattan Athletic will give the sisters, mothers and admirers of its members a like privilege on Wednesday, Dec. 8.

These Ladies' Days have got to be quite an institution. The Manhattan boys will entertain their gentle visitors with a musical entertainment, but the New Yorks will give them something they can't see every day in the way of a gymnastic performance. The doors of the big club-house will be wide open all day on Saturday, and the bright-eyed guests will have a fine chance to take in all its wonders. The first thing that will excite their interest on entering is the splendid decorating of the place. This was not done till after the place had been occupied for nearly a year, but when it was taken up the clever artists made up for lost time. On the first floor, too, is a collection of the championship medals members of the club won this year in a neat glass case. Upstairs are the fine parlors, dining and billiard and pool rooms and a profuse display of athletic pictures and statuary. The exhibition will take place in the gymnasium, which occupies the fourth and fifth floors.

The handball excitement is striking everywhere. A match is now proposed, best eleven in twenty-one games, between Jim Dunne, the Brooklyn pugilist and lawyer, the champion of Ireland, Barney McQuade wants to play the winner.

That Carney benefit the other night, as well as being the best managed affair of the kind seen in years, was without doubt the quietest. One well-known sporting reporter who seldom gets left, didn't hear of it till the last minute, and then only got to it by chance across Arthur Chambers in the street.

Charlie Norton, the famous ex-champion of light weights, now of Newark, and Jim Dawson, the well-known Philadelphia promoter of foot handicaps, came to this city, but got left.

How the Jersey City Athletic Club proposes to raise the money to send out of town a number of Normal College graduates.

The fancy fair of the Normal College Alumnae, which was opened in the ballroom of the Hotel Brunswick last evening, will be continued to-day and to-morrow. It is held for the purpose of supplying the Normal College with a good library.

The opening of the fair last evening was a gratifying success in every particular. Handicaps, foot races, and other sports were given, and the fair was a success in every particular.

Banker George J. S. W. is at the Murray Hill Hotel.

At the Barrett is W. K. Dow, a prominent Kulan member of Normal College graduates.

R. C. Truman, of San Francisco, has a room at the Surrey.

Gen. Thos. L. Crittenden to-day wrote his name on the list of Normal College graduates.

J. Phillips Scott, the well-known brewer of Montreal, seeks rest at the Brunswick.

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PRELATES BOUND FOR ROME.

Archbishop Ryan and Bishop Ryan to Attend the Pope's Golden Jubilee.

Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia, accompanied by Bishop Ryan, of Buffalo, will go on board the steamship Servia this evening and sail to-morrow for Europe. The two prelates are not related at all despite the similarity of name. Archbishop Ryan has been the guest of Archbishop Corrigan since his arrival in this city.

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HOW A DIME IS COINED.

An Interesting Process That the Public Knows Little About.

There are many things of interest to be seen at the United States Mint on Fifth street. It is not generally known that this is the largest institution of the kind in the world; yet it is a fact, and in its facilities for the rapid and perfect coining of money the San Francisco Mint is conceded to be much superior to the Royal Mint of London, which is generally supposed to be the largest and most complete mint in the world.

A Chronicle reporter, called yesterday, and through the courtesy of Chief James M. Gorham was permitted to witness the manner in which dollars and dimes are turned out by the bureau.

Just at present there is a lively demand all over the country for silver dimes, and hundreds of thousands of dollars of them are being shipped to New York. The demand is so great that these machines are not even stopped on Sundays, and will be run on that day through the present month.

The process of dime-making is an interesting one. The silver bullion is first melted and run into two-story bars. These in turn are run through immense rollers and flattened out to the thickness of the coin. These silver strips are then passed through machines which cut them into the proper size for the presses, the strips first having been treated with a kind of talcum to prevent their being scratched in their passage through the rollers. The silver pieces are then put into the feeder of the pressing press, and are fed to the front of the automatic machine at the rate of one minute, 40,000 dimes being turned out in a regular working day of eight hours.

As the smooth pieces pass through the feeder they receive the lettered and figured designs, made in a manner similar to that of a paper pressed upon a die. The designs are made in a piece of steel, which is cut into a die, and the designs are cut into its rim. The machine drops the pieces into a receiver, and it is ready for the counter's hands.

The instrument used by the counter is not a simple machine, by any means, as one might suppose. It is a complex contrivance, and it is raised by a lever running across its surface at the rear of the counter. The lever is raised by a small wheel, which is turned by the counter's hands. The lever is raised by a small wheel, which is turned by the counter's hands.

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